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M-b-325
Supplement 2

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TO: All Regional Food and Drug Directors
Attn: Regional Milk Specialists

FROM: Dairy and Egg Branch/Milk Safety Team (HFS-316)

SUBJECT: ABB Kent-Taylor C1950 Series Safety Thermal Limit Recorder (STLR) for use on Continuous Flow Pasteurization and Aseptic Processing Systems

This memorandum is a supplement to M-b-325 (ABB Kent-Taylor C1950 Series Safety Thermal Limit Recorder (STLR) for use on Continuous Flow Pasteurization and Aseptic Processing Systems), issued September 20, 1996 and M-b-325 (Supplement 1) (ABB Kent-Taylor C1950 Series Safety Thermal Limit Recorder (STLR) for use on Continuous Flow Pasteurization and Aseptic Processing Systems), issued July 22, 2005. When M-b-325 was issued, the program/command instructions were stored on an EPROM identified as C1900-2001. When M-b-325 (Supplement 1) was issued, the program/command instructions were stored on an EPROM identified as C1900-2201. It has been brought to our attention that the EPROM version was changed sometime between the time the original M-b-324 was issued (September 20, 1996) and when M-b-324 (Supplement 1) was issued (July 22, 2005). ABB Kent-Taylor discontinued the C1900-2001 EPROM, which supported both the 8 and 12 MHz processor speeds, and replaced it with the C1900-2101 EPROM that supported the 12 MHz processor speed only. This change was solely for the purpose of accommodating increased processor speeds. There were not any changes made to the original program/command instructions. Currently, the C1900-2101 EPROM is not supplied with new equipment and is only supplied when replacement I/O board kits are ordered. This allows the existing “old” main boards to be compatible to the new I/O cards. The manufacturer’s Programming Guide Set-Up and Configuration Values and provisions cited in M-b-325 continue to apply.

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